

Exercise 5B

1 a $x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = \cos x$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(xy) = \cos x$$

as $\frac{d}{dx}(xy) = x \frac{dy}{dx} + y$ from the product rule

$$\Rightarrow xy = \int \cos x \, dx = \sin x + c$$

$$\text{So } y = \frac{1}{x} \sin x + \frac{c}{x}$$

b $e^{-x} \frac{dy}{dx} - e^{-x} y = xe^x$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(e^{-x}y) = xe^x$$

as $\frac{d}{dx}(e^{-x}y) = e^{-x} \frac{dy}{dx} - e^{-x}y$ from the product rule

$$\Rightarrow e^{-x}y = \int xe^x \, dx = xe^x - \int e^x \, dx$$

$$= xe^x - e^x + c$$

using integration by parts formula (with $u = x$, $v = e^x$)

$$\text{So } y = xe^{2x} - e^{2x} + ce^x$$

multiplying both sides by e^x

c $\sin x \frac{dy}{dx} + y \cos x = 3$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(y \sin x) = 3$$

as $\frac{d}{dx}(y \sin x) = \sin x \frac{dy}{dx} + y \cos x$ from the product rule

$$\Rightarrow y \sin x = \int 3 \, dx$$

$$\Rightarrow y \sin x = 3x + c$$

$$\text{So } y = \frac{3x}{\sin x} + \frac{c}{\sin x} = 3x \operatorname{cosec} x + c \operatorname{cosec} x$$

d $\frac{1}{x} \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{x^2} y = e^x$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{1}{x}y\right) = e^x$$

as $\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{1}{x}y\right) = \frac{1}{x} \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{x^2}y$ from the product rule

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{x}y = \int e^x \, dx = e^x + c$$

$$\text{So } y = xe^x + cx$$

- 1 e Simplify the left-hand side by noting that from the product and chain rules

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^2e^y) = x^2 \frac{d(e^y)}{dx} + 2xe^y \quad \text{the product rule}$$

$$= x^2 \frac{d(e^y)}{dy} \frac{dy}{dx} + 2xe^y \quad \text{the chain rule}$$

$$= x^2e^y \frac{dy}{dx} + 2xe^y$$

$$\text{So } x^2e^y \frac{dy}{dx} + 2xe^y = x \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(x^2e^y) = x$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2e^y = \int x \, dx = \frac{x^2}{2} + c$$

$$\Rightarrow e^y = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{c}{x^2}$$

$$\text{So } y = \ln\left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{c}{x^2}\right)$$

f $4xy \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y^2 = x^2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(2xy^2) = x^2 \quad \text{using the product and chain rules}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2xy^2 = \int x^2 \, dx = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + c$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 = \frac{1}{6}x^2 + \frac{c}{2x}$$

$$\text{So } y = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{6}x^2 + \frac{c}{2x}}$$

- 2 a The equation is in the form $\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = Q(x)$, so the integrating factor is $e^{\int P(x)dx} = e^{\int 2x dx} = e^{x^2}$

Multiplying the equation by this factor gives:

$$e^{x^2} \frac{dy}{dx} + e^{x^2} 2xy = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(ye^{x^2}) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow ye^{x^2} = \int 1 dx = x + c$$

$$\text{So } y = \frac{x+c}{e^{x^2}} = xe^{-x^2} + ce^{-x^2}$$

- b As $x \rightarrow \infty$, e^{x^2} becomes much larger than x ; therefore, $y \rightarrow 0$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 3 \text{ a } \quad & x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 2xy = 2x + 1 \\
 & \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(x^2y) = 2x + 1 \\
 & \Rightarrow x^2y = \int (2x + 1) dx \\
 & \Rightarrow x^2y = x^2 + x + c \\
 \text{So } & y = 1 + \frac{1}{x} + \frac{c}{x^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{b } \text{ When } x = -\frac{1}{2}, y = 0, 1 - 2 + 4c = 0 \Rightarrow 4c = 1 \Rightarrow c = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{So } y = 1 + \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{4x^2}$$

$$\text{When } x = -\frac{1}{2}, y = 3, 1 - 2 + 4c = 3 \Rightarrow 4c = 4 \Rightarrow c = 1$$

$$\text{So } y = 1 + \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2}$$

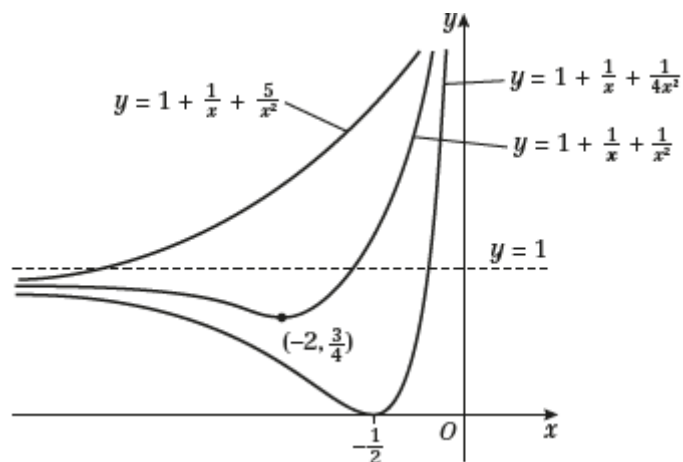
$$\text{When } x = -\frac{1}{2}, y = 19, 1 - 2 + 4c = 19 \Rightarrow 4c = 20 \Rightarrow c = 5$$

$$\text{So } y = 1 + \frac{1}{x} + \frac{5}{x^2}$$

The curves have a horizontal asymptote at $y=1$ and a vertical asymptote at $x=0$

When $y=1$, $\frac{1}{x} + \frac{c}{x^2} = 0 \Rightarrow x = -c$. When $y=0$, $x^2 + x + c = 0$. There are no real roots for $c > \frac{1}{4}$.

So a sketch of the three curves for $x < 0$ is



4 a $\ln x \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{y}{x} = \frac{1}{(x+1)(x+2)}$
 $\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(y \ln x) = \frac{1}{(x+1)(x+2)}$ as $\frac{d}{dx}(y \ln x) = \ln x \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{y}{x}$ using the product rule
 $\Rightarrow y \ln x = \int \frac{1}{(x+1)(x+2)} dx$
 $= \int \left(\frac{(x+2) - (x+1)}{(x+1)(x+2)} \right) dx = \int \left(\frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{x+2} \right) dx$
 $= \ln(x+1) - \ln(x+2) + \ln A$
 So $y = \frac{\ln(x+1) - \ln(x+2) + \ln A}{\ln x} = \frac{\ln \frac{A(x+1)}{(x+2)}}{\ln x}$

b When $x = 2$, $y = 2$, $2 = \frac{\ln(\frac{3}{4}A)}{\ln 2}$
 So $\ln(\frac{3}{4}A) = 2 \ln 2 = \ln 4$
 $\Rightarrow \frac{3}{4}A = 4 \Rightarrow A = \frac{16}{3}$
 So the solution is $y = \frac{\ln \frac{16(x+1)}{3(x+2)}}{\ln x}$

5 a The integrating factor is $e^{\int 2 dx} = e^{2x}$
 Multiplying the equation by this factor gives:

$$e^{2x} \frac{dy}{dx} + 2e^{2x} y = e^{2x} e^x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(e^{2x} y) = e^{3x}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{2x} y = \int e^{3x} dx = \frac{1}{3} e^{3x} + c$$

So $y = \frac{1}{3} e^x + c e^{-2x}$

b The integrating factor is $e^{\int \cot x dx} = e^{\ln \sin x} = \sin x$
 Multiplying the equation by this factor gives:

$$\sin x \frac{dy}{dx} + y \cos x = \sin x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(y \sin x) = \sin x$$

$$\Rightarrow y \sin x = \int \sin x dx = -\cos x + c$$

So $y = -\cot x + c \operatorname{cosec} x$

5 c The integrating factor is $e^{\int \sin x \, dx} = e^{-\cos x}$

Multiplying the equation by this factor gives:

$$e^{-\cos x} \frac{dy}{dx} + y \sin x e^{-\cos x} = e^{-\cos x} e^{\cos x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(ye^{-\cos x}) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow ye^{-\cos x} = x + c$$

$$\text{So } y = xe^{\cos x} + ce^{\cos x}$$

d The integrating factor is $e^{\int -1 \, dx} = e^{-x}$ ←

Multiplying the equation by this factor gives:

$$e^{-x} \frac{dy}{dx} - ye^{-x} = e^{2x} e^{-x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(ye^{-x}) = e^x$$

$$\Rightarrow ye^{-x} = \int e^x \, dx = e^x + c$$

$$\text{So } y = e^{2x} + ce^x$$

Note that $P(x) = -1$ and the minus sign is important.

e The integrating factor is $e^{\int \tan x \, dx} = e^{\ln \sec x} = \sec x$

Multiplying the equation by this factor gives:

$$\sec x \frac{dy}{dx} + y \sec x \tan x = x \cos x \sec x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(y \sec x) = x$$

$$\Rightarrow y \sec x = \int x \, dx = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + c$$

$$\text{So } y = \left(\frac{1}{2}x^2 + c\right) \cos x$$

f The integrating factor is $e^{\int \frac{1}{x} \, dx} = e^{\ln x} = x$

Multiplying the equation by this factor gives:

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = \frac{x}{x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(xy) = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow xy = \int \frac{1}{x} \, dx = \ln|x| + c$$

$$\text{So } y = \frac{1}{x} \ln|x| + \frac{c}{x}$$

- 5 g Divide both sides by x^2 to get an equation in the form $\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = Q(x)$. This gives:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{x}y = \frac{x}{x+2} \quad (1)$$

The integrating factor is $e^{\int \frac{-1}{x} dx} = e^{-\ln x} = e^{\ln \frac{1}{x}} = \frac{1}{x}$

Multiplying equation (1) by this factor gives:

$$\frac{1}{x} \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{x^2} y = \frac{1}{x+2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{x} y \right) = \frac{1}{x+2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{x} y = \int \frac{1}{x+2} dx = \ln(x+2) + c$$

$$\text{So } y = x \ln(x+2) + cx$$

- h Divide both sides by x^2 to get an equation in the form $\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = Q(x)$. This gives:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{1}{3x}y = \frac{1}{3} \quad (1)$$

The integrating factor is $e^{\int \frac{1}{3x} dx} = e^{\frac{1}{3} \ln x} = e^{\ln x^{\frac{1}{3}}} = x^{\frac{1}{3}}$

Multiplying equation (1) by $x^{\frac{1}{3}}$ gives:

$$x^{\frac{1}{3}} \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{1}{3} x^{-\frac{2}{3}} y = \frac{1}{3} x^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \left(x^{\frac{1}{3}} y \right) = \frac{1}{3} x^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{\frac{1}{3}} y = \int \frac{1}{3} x^{\frac{1}{3}} dx = \frac{1}{4} x^{\frac{4}{3}} + c$$

$$\text{So } y = \frac{1}{4} x + cx^{-\frac{1}{3}}$$

- i Dividing both sides by $(x+2)$ gives:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{(x+2)}y = 1 \quad (1)$$

The integrating factor is $e^{\int \frac{-1}{(x+2)} dx} = e^{-\ln(x+2)} = e^{\ln \frac{1}{x+2}} = \frac{1}{x+2}$

Multiplying equation (1) by the integrating factor:

$$\frac{1}{(x+2)} \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{(x+2)^2} y = \frac{1}{(x+2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{1}{(x+2)} y \right] = \frac{1}{x+2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{(x+2)} y = \int \frac{1}{x+2} dx = \ln(x+2) + c$$

$$\text{So } y = (x+2) \ln(x+2) + c(x+2)$$

5 j Dividing both sides by x gives:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{4}{x}y = \frac{e^x}{x^3} \quad (1)$$

The integrating factor is $e^{\int \frac{4}{x} dx} = e^{4 \ln x} = e^{\ln x^4} = x^4$

Multiplying equation (1) by the integrating factor:

$$x^4 \frac{dy}{dx} + 4x^3 y = xe^x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(x^4 y) = xe^x$$

$$\Rightarrow x^4 y = \int xe^x dx = xe^x - \int e^x dx = xe^x - e^x + c$$

Integrating xe^x using
integration by parts

$$\text{So } y = \frac{1}{x^3}e^x - \frac{1}{x^4}e^x + \frac{c}{x^4}$$

6 Dividing both sides by x gives:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{2}{x}y = \frac{1}{x}e^x \quad (1)$$

The integrating factor is $e^{\int \frac{2}{x} dx} = e^{2 \ln x} = e^{\ln x^2} = x^2$

Multiplying equation (1) by x^2

$$x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 2xy = xe^x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(x^2 y) = xe^x$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 y = \int xe^x dx = xe^x - \int e^x dx = xe^x - e^x + c$$

$$\text{So } y = \frac{1}{x}e^x - \frac{1}{x^2}e^x + \frac{c}{x^2}$$

Given that $y = 1$ when $x = 1$, then $1 = e - e + c \Rightarrow c = 1$

So the required equation is $y = \frac{1}{x}e^x - \frac{1}{x^2}e^x + \frac{1}{x^2}$

7 Dividing both sides by x^3 gives:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{x}y = \frac{1}{x^3} \quad (1)$$

The integrating factor is $e^{-\int \frac{1}{x} dx} = e^{-\ln x} = e^{\ln \frac{1}{x}} = \frac{1}{x}$

Multiplying equation (1) by $\frac{1}{x}$

$$\frac{1}{x} \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{x^2}y = \frac{1}{x^4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{x}y \right) = \frac{1}{x^4}$$

$$\frac{1}{x}y = \int \frac{1}{x^4} dx = \int x^{-4} dx = -\frac{1}{3}x^{-3} + c$$

$$\text{So } y = -\frac{1}{3}x^{-2} + cx = -\frac{1}{3x^2} + cx$$

$$\text{But } y = 1 \text{ when } x = 1, \text{ so } 1 = -\frac{1}{3} + c \Rightarrow c = \frac{4}{3}$$

So the required equation is $y = -\frac{1}{3x^2} + \frac{4x}{3}$

8 a Dividing both sides by $\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)$ gives:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{2}{\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)}y = \frac{2(x^2 + 1)^2}{\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)}, \text{ which simplifies to}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{2x}{x^2 + 1}y = 2x(x^2 + 1) \quad (1)$$

The integrating factor is $e^{\int \frac{2x}{x^2 + 1} dx} = e^{\ln(x^2 + 1)} = (x^2 + 1)$

Multiplying equation (1) by $(x^2 + 1)$

$$(x^2 + 1)\frac{dy}{dx} + 2xy = 2x(x^2 + 1)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \left((x^2 + 1)y \right) = 2x(x^2 + 1)^2$$

$$y(x^2 + 1) = \int 2x(x^2 + 1)^2 dx = \frac{1}{3}(x^2 + 1)^3 + c$$

$$\text{So } y = \frac{1}{3}(x^2 + 1)^2 + \frac{c}{(x^2 + 1)}$$

b Given that $y = 1$ when $x = 1$, then $1 = \frac{1}{3} \times 4 + \frac{1}{2}c \Rightarrow c = -\frac{2}{3}$

So the required equation is $y = \frac{1}{3}(x^2 + 1)^2 - \frac{2}{3(x^2 + 1)}$

9 a Dividing both sides by $\cos x$ gives:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + y \sec x = \sec x \quad (1)$$

Using the standard result $\int \sec x \, dx = \ln(\sec x + \tan x)$, (you will not be expected to prove this result)

the integrating factor is $e^{\int \sec x \, dx} = e^{\ln(\sec x + \tan x)} = \sec x + \tan x$

Multiplying equation (1) by this factor gives:

$$(\sec x + \tan x) \frac{dy}{dx} + (\sec^2 x + \sec x \tan x)y = \sec^2 x + \sec x \tan x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}((\sec x + \tan x)y) = \sec^2 x + \sec x \tan x$$

$$\Rightarrow (\sec x + \tan x)y = \int \sec^2 x + \sec x \tan x \, dx = \tan x + \sec x + c$$

$$\text{So } y = 1 + \frac{c}{\sec x + \tan x}$$

b Given that $y = 2$ when $x = 0$, then $2 = 1 + \frac{c}{1+0} \Rightarrow c = 1$

$$\text{So } y = 1 + \frac{1}{\sec x + \tan x}$$

$$\text{Dividing top and bottom by } \cos x \text{ gives } y = 1 + \frac{\cos x}{1 + \sin x}$$

10 a Dividing both sides by $\cos x$ gives

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + y \tan x = \sec x \quad (1)$$

The integrating factor is $e^{\int \tan x \, dx} = e^{\ln|\sec x|} = \sec x$

Multiply both sides of equation (1) by $\sec x$

$$\sec x \frac{dy}{dx} + y \tan x = \sec^2 x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(y \sec x) = \sec^2 x$$

$$\Rightarrow y \sec x = \int \sec^2 x \, dx$$

$$\Rightarrow y \sec x = \tan x + c$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \sin x + c \cos x$$

b Given that $y = 3$ when $x = \pi$, then $3 = \sin \pi + c \cos \pi = 0 - c \Rightarrow c = -3$.

So the particular solution is $y = \sin x - 3 \cos x$

10 c If $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$, then $y = \sin \frac{\pi}{2} + c \cos \frac{\pi}{2} = 1 + c \times 0 = 1$ for any value of c

Similarly if $x = \frac{3\pi}{2}$, then $y = \sin \frac{3\pi}{2} + c \cos \frac{3\pi}{2} = -1 + c \times 0 = -1$ for any value of c

So $\left(\frac{\pi}{2}, 1\right)$ and $\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}, -1\right)$ lie on all solution curves.

11 Dividing by a gives $\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{b}{a}y = 0$

The integrating factor is $e^{\int \frac{b}{a} dx} = e^{\frac{bx}{a}}$

Multiplying by this factor gives

$$e^{\frac{bx}{a}} \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{b}{a} e^{\frac{bx}{a}} y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \left(e^{\frac{bx}{a}} y \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{\frac{bx}{a}} y = c$$

So the general solution is $y = ce^{-\frac{bx}{a}}$